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MODERNISATION OF TELEGRAPH SERVICES IN KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by the Government for the modernization of telegraph services in Karnataka, district-wise;

(b) the budgetary allocation for the purpose during the current financial year;

(c) the time by which the modernization of telegraph services is likely to be completed; and

(d) the jobs undertaken as part of the modernization of telegraph services in the State?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD)

(a) Yes, Sir. Modernisation of Telegraph Services have already been completed in Karnataka and district-wise details are given in the Annexure.

(b) & (c) Do not arise in view of (a) above.

(d) Details are given in the Annexure.

ANNEXURE

DISTRICT-WISE DETAILS OF MODERN EQUIPMENT PROVIDED TO MODERNIZE TELEGRAPH SERVICES IN KARNATAKA

SL. NO.	NAME OF REVENUE DISTRICTS	SFMSS	SFMSS PORTS EKB	EKBC/ FTC	EKB	B/FAX	FT & ETP
1.	Bangalore Urban	1 (128-L)	12	1	18	17	31
2.	Bangalore Rural	-	-	-	15	7	6
3.	Bidar	-	1	1	27	1	1
4	Bellary	-	2	1	15	1	1
5.	Koppal	-	-	-	23	-	-
6.	Bijapur	-	3	1	23	1	1
7.	Baglkot	-	-	-	14	1	1
8.	Begaum	-	4	1	36	1	2
9.	Chitrdurg	-	1	-	12	1	1
10.	Davangere	-	1	1	12	1	1
11.	Chikmangalur	-	1	1	23	1	1
12.	Dakshina Kannda	-	7	1	37	1	3
13.	Udupi	-	1	-	19	-	1
14.	Dharwad	1 (64-L)	6	1	38	1	4
15.	Haveri	-	-	-	13	-	1
16.	Gulbarga	-	2	1	19	1	1
17.	Hassan	-	1	1	12	1	1
18.	Kodagu	-	1	1	13	1	1
19.	Kollar	-	2	1	13	1	1
20.	Mandya	-	1	1	19	1	1
21.	Mysore	-	3	1	33	1	8
22.	Chamarajanagar	-	-	-	6	-	1
23.	Raichur	-	3	1	23	1	1
24.	Shimoga	-	2	1	28	1	2
25.	Tumkur	-	2	1	21	1	2

26.	Uttarakannada	-	3	1	23	1	1
	Total	2	59	19	537	45	75

ABBREVIATION:

SFMSS : STORE AND FORWARD MESSAGE SWITCHING SYSTEM SFMSS PORT : A PC BASED TERMINAL FOR DISPOSAL OF TELEGRAMS TO/FROM SFMSS FTC : FORMATTED TERMINAL CONCENTRATOR EKBC : ELECTONIC KEYBOARD CONCENTRATOR FT : FORMATTED TERMINAL ETP : ELECTRONIC TELEPRINTER B.FAX : BUREAU FAX

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